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In re PATENT APPLICATION of :

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For: LOAD PORT OF A SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING  
APPARATUS HAVING INTEGRATED KINEMATIC COUPLING PINS  
AND SENSORS, AND METHOD OF LOADING WAFERS USING THE  
SAME

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Preliminary to the examination of the above-identified application, please enter  
the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins  
on page 4 of this paper.

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**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.